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NEW ABSTRACT:

Please replace the original abstract with the following new abstract:

Abstract of the Disclosure

A self-boosting electromagnetic disk brake having an electromechanical actuating

device and a mechanical self-boosting device that has a wedge mechanism. A wedge is

displaceable parallel to a brake disk and relative to a friction brake lining, and the relative

displaceability of the wedge is limited relative to the friction brake lining to one direction, by

means of a slaving device. The wedge is decoupled from the friction brake lining in one

direction of rotation of the brake disk. As a result, the self-boosting device is operative in

only one direction of rotation of the brake disk; in the reverse direction of rotation of the

brake disk, the disk brake is neutral in terms of self-help.